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August 4, 2004

Joseph M. Janzer, D.O. 2500 E Hwy 121 #1516 Euless TX 76009

RE:

Letter of Concern

License No. 3702, Case No. 3237

Dear Dr. Janzer:

At their meeting on July 31, 2004, the Board of Osteopathic Examiners in Medicine and Surgery conducted a Case Review on the above-referenced complaint. The Board noted that you declined to appear before the Board for an investigative hearing. That complaint alleged that you violated A.R.S. § 32-1854 (6), "Engaging in the practice of medicine in a manner that harms or may harm a patient or that the Board determines falls below the community standard" and (40), "Any conduct or practice that endangers a patient's or the public's health or may reasonably be expected to do so."

Based on the information presented and your written communication with the Board, the Board found there was insufficient evidence to conclude that your conduct constituted unprofessional conduct or to support direct action against your license. However, the Board voted to issue you this advisory **LETTER OF CONCERN**. The Board believed your conduct was of concern in that you failed to appropriately diagnose and fully treat a finger nodule.

A Letter of Concern is a public document for five years from the date of issuance, and during those years is provided with in response to requests for copies of your license file or verifications of license status. It also may be cited in future actions against your license. It is not a disciplinary action, however, and is not reported to the National Practitioner Data Base.

With the resolution of this complaint, we have lifted the administrative suspension of your license imposed because you had pending complaints at the time your license would have lapsed for non-renewal. Your AZ license status is now "lapsed."

Sincerely yours,

Executive Director

Elaine LeTarte

Copy: Complainant